

conducted without undue burden of the Examiner, thus avoiding delay and expense to Applicants.

However, Applicants further understand that upon search, examination and allowance of the elected species, search and examination will continue as to the non-elected species within the scope of the generic claims.

If there are any questions concerning this Response or the application in general, Applicants invite the Examiner to telephone the undersigned at the below-listed number.

Respectfully submitted,

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